

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in this Application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A method for selling lease or offering rental or lease cars to a first party, even while said rental or lease car is leased or rented to a second party, over a computer network to users and thereafter completing sales of cars selected by the users comprising the steps of:

preparing a list for said users of cars for sale with their descriptions, said cars on said list being presently part of a fleet of rental or lease cars, some of which could be on rent or lease at the time the list is prepared, leased or rented or available for lease or rent,

storing said list in a database, said database being coupled to a server computer, said server computer being coupled to a computer network,

providing client computers controlled by users with access across said computer network to said database for said users to search said list of cars for sale with their descriptions,

receiving a buy request at said server computer from a-the client computer, and deciding whether to accept said buy request from said client computer consummating sale of said car with details of selling the car.

2. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein said server computer controls an auction, said buy request is a winning bid in said auction, and said server computer authorizes purchase.

3. (Canceled).

4. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1 wherein said client computer is at a kiosk.

5. (Canceled).

6. (Canceled).

7. (Canceled).

8. (Canceled).

9. (Currently amended) A system for selling a lease or rental car to a first party even while said rental car is leased or rented to a second party comprising:

a server computer, with a database, and being connectable to client computers through a computer network,

wherein a listing of lease or rental cars available for sale by an asset reseller is stored in said database, said cars on said list being presently part of a fleet of rental or lease cars, some of which may be on rent or lease at the time the list is prepared,

said server computer receives a search request from a client computer;

at least part of the listing of lease or rental cars is delivered to said client computer; and

said server computer receives a request to buy a lease or rental car from said client computer.

10. (Currently amended) The system of claim 9, wherein the server computer is programmed to control a bidding system and receive bids for one of the lease or rental cars from the list of lease or rental cars for sale and to complete a sales transaction with a winning bidder.

11. (Canceled).

12. (Previously presented) The system of claim 9, wherein said client computer is a kiosk.

13. (Canceled).

14. (Canceled).

15. (Canceled).

16. (Canceled).

17. (Canceled).

18. (Canceled).

19. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein following the step of providing access, said server computer receives a search request and responds with a subset of the listing of automobiles satisfying the search request.

20. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1 wherein said computer network is the Internet.

21. (Canceled).

- 22. (Canceled).
- 23. (Canceled).
- 24. (Canceled).
- 25. (Canceled).
- 26. (Canceled).
- 27. (Canceled).
- 28. (Canceled).
- 29. (Canceled).

30. (Previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein said database in total is downloaded to said client computers over said computer network.